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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned patent application on November 29, 2005, Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks. Applicants further submit herewith a declaration by Dr.

Teicher under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 and a copy of an article, Mehvar et al., *J. Control.*

Release 68:53 (2000), describing the hydrolysis kinetics of dextran – methylprednisolone succinate.

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